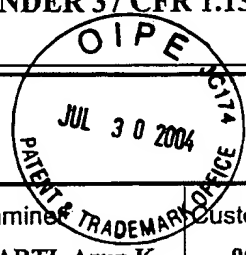


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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Large Entity)	Docket No. 14560
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In Re Application Of: LANE, Michael J. et al.

Application No. 09/747,164	Filing Date December 22, 2000	Examiner CHAKRABARTI, Arun K.	Customer No. 000293	Group Art Unit 1634	Confirmation No. 3640
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Invention: **METHODS AND COMPOSITIONS FOR MODULATING "Marginally Indiscriminant" Hybridization**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of January 30, 2004 above-identified application.
Date

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☐ One month ☐ Two months ☒ Three months ☐ Four months ☐ Five months

from: April 30, 2004 until: July 30, 2004
Date *Date*

The fee for the extension of time is \$950 and is to be paid as follows:

- ☒ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 04 - 1577
- ☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 04 - 1577

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Dated: July 30, 2004

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I certify that this document and fee is being deposited on _____ with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.
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